is practicable under local conditions. Such differential shall be treated as part of the basic compensation for the position to the extent it is so treated in the Federal Wage System.

§ 251.72 Physical hardship or hazard differentials for non-manual positions.

The head of each agency, in coordination with the heads of other agencies, may authorize payment of differentials for positions, other than positions subject to §251.71 of this chapter, to compensate for irregular or intermittent duty involving unusual physical hardship or hazard. Differential prescribed under this section shall generally conform to regulations published in 5 CFR Part 550.

§251.73 Premium pay.

(a) Premium pay for Manual-type positions shall be established in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 5544 and Supplement 532-1 of the Federal Personnel Manual; *Provided, However*, That any rule concerning premium pay established prior to the effective date of these regulations may be continued for the type of position to which the rule applied before the said effective date

(b) Premium pay and compensatory time for positions, other than positions subject to paragraph (a) of this section, shall be established in accordance with the provisions of Subchapter V of Chapter 55 of Title 5, United States Code; *Provided, however,* That any rule concerning premium pay or compensatory time established prior to the effective date of these regulations may be continued for the type of position to which the rule applied before the said effective date.

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